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## COMMENCEMENT WEEK IS HERE.

All of the Schools will Close Within a Few Days

## MANY GRADUATES THIS YEAR.

Bethel College To-night and Others Later in the Week

This is commencement week in Hopkinsville and there is "great excitement" among the 1000 or more pupils of the schools and colleges of the city.

Sunday night the baccalaureate address to the graduates of Bethel Female College was delivered at the Baptist church by Rev. Millard A. Jenkins to an audience that packed every part of the building until many occupied standing room.

Like all of Dr. Jenkins' discourses it was able, interesting and earnestly delivered.

### Programme.

1. Waltz from Faust.....Gounod  
(Two pianos, eight hands.)  
Gertrude Gary, Katie Hille,  
Ileyne Edwards, Posey Cullen.
2. Shepherds All and Maidens Fair.....Nevin  
Miss Lois Irvan.
3. Reading, Joam Decosta.....Jules Verne  
Miss Ileyne Edwards.
4. (a) To a Water-lily.....MacDowell  
(b) Valse Gracieuse.....Dvorak  
Miss Mary Carr.
5. Awake Beloved.....William G. Dodd  
Miss Virginia Harris.
6. Valse-Melodie.....Meyer-Helmund  
Miss Frances Summers
7. With Hearts of Hope.....Arthur Sullivan  
College Chorus.
8. Cascade du Chaudron.....Bendel  
Miss Addie Green.
9. Reading, Our Wedding Day.....Anon  
Miss Bernice Rickman.
10. Geburtstags Gavotte.....Behr  
Misses Ethel and Eulalia Surface.
11. (a) Twilight.....Grant-Schaefer  
(b) L'Avalanche.....Heller  
Miss Gertrude Gary.
12. Reading, Arena Scene from Quo Vadis.....  
Miss Louise Carr.
13. Galatea.....Jensen  
Miss Winifred Lewis.
14. Pensee.....Godard  
Miss Ruth Fritz.
15. If all the Dreams We Dream Dear.....Lynes  
Miss Ethel Stowe.
16. Reading, Idyl of the Orchard.....Ada Brown  
Miss Virginia Harris.
17. Gondoliera.....Sartorio  
Miss Joe Carr.
18. Valse Brillante.....Lowe  
(Two pianos.)  
Mary Tandy, Agnes Flack.

### COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Tuesday, 8 p. m., May 28, 1907.

1. Overture to Rosamond...Schubert  
(Two pianos.)  
Lois Irvan, Annie Hamner, Eunice Mayes, Gussie Young.
2. Reading of Distinctions of Preparatory and Junior Classes.
3. Piano Solo—Ballade Op. 47...Chopin  
Miss Mary Carr.
4. Delivery of Certificates of Proficiency in Intermediate Classes.
5. Vocal Solo—A May Morning...Denza  
Miss Ethel Stowe.
6. Piano Solo—Silberquelle...Bendel  
Miss Gussie Young.
7. Delivery of Diplomas and Degrees
8. Address by President.
9. Hochzeitsmusik.....Jensen  
Miss Mary Carr.  
Second Piano—Miss Jones.

**South Kentucky College.**  
The baccalaureate service of South Kentucky College was heard Sunday

night at the Christian church. Miss Follansby was at the organ and played with her usual facility and effectiveness. Miss Wendermuth rendered a solo with excellent effect. Rev. H. D. Smith had charge of the service and read the Scripture lesson and Prof. H. Clay Smith led the opening prayer. Miss Lucy Starling delightfully assisted Miss Follansby with her violin. The service was well attended. The audience room had been tastefully decorated under the direction of Miss Bettie Hopper. At an appropriate moment the graduating class marched in and occupied seats reserved for them immediately before the pulpit. The members presented a most attractive appearance, as they stood for an instant before sitting in a line extended from side to side of the wide central section of the pews.

At a little after 8 o'clock Dr. Smith in a few remarks introduced Prof. J. M. Gordon, who had been

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## GEO. V. GREEN HAS RESIGNED

Retires From Prison Commission and Will Leave the State.

### GOING TO FLORIDA.

His Term Would Have Expired in Spring of 1908.

Hon. George V. Green, of Christian county, member of the State Prison Commission since 1900, Saturday tendered his resignation to Gov. Beckham, effective June 1 next. The Governor accepted the resignation, and at once appointed Finley E. Fogg, of West Liberty, Morgan county, to fill out the unexpired term. Mr. Green's successor will be chosen by the General Assembly of 1908. The Governor's appointee has for several months been an announced candidate to succeed him.

There was no previous intimation that Commissioner Green intended to give up his office before the close of his term. It had been known that he would not be a candidate to succeed himself, as he intends to remove with his family from Kentucky. He has for a year or more been interested in farming lands of Florida and Texas, and will shortly remove South. His letter to the Governor tendering his resignation contains but a single paragraph. It reads:

"Matters have arisen which, in justice to myself, require that I resign my office of Prison Commissioner. I feel that I cannot properly attend to the duties of the office by reason of my private affairs. I hereby tender my resignation of said office, to take effect June 1, 1907."

Finley E. Fogg, whom the Governor named as Col. Green's successor, is a well-known young lawyer of the mountain section of Kentucky. He is the Democratic State Executive Committeeman for the Tenth congressional district, and is quite active in Democratic politics of his end of the State. He has been making a quiet canvass among Democratic nominees for the Legislature election to succeed Commissioner Green, and will continue in the race.

Representative Lewis Arnett, of Covington; W. O. Coleman, of Henry, and N. O. Gray, of Lyon county, are also candidates for the Democratic nomination at the hands of the next General Assembly.

### CHILDREN'S DAY

At the Christian Church Sunday.

The annual Children's Day service of the Christian church was held yesterday. Mr. Gabe Campbell, in the absence of Mr. Thos. W. Long, was in charge. Mrs. Gabe Payne and Miss Annie K. Smithson trained the children. Miss Bettie Hopper had decorated the church. The children did their part excellently. No more beautiful or satisfactory service of the kind was ever held in the church. After a short address by Mr. Campbell the classes and their friends made their offerings to Foreign Missions. These aggregated more than \$400. Two classes gave \$75 each; two others between \$30 and \$40 each. One boy gave \$10, which he had earned himself.

This offering brings the total contribution for missions of this church, made since Jan. 1st, up to \$1,600.

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Mabel Dillman.

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